

Supply of water to the tank in Nadur village in Sira Taluk.

Q.—186. Sri B. N. RAMEGOWDA (Sira).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

whether any action has been taken to supply water to the tank in Nadur village in Gowdagere hobli of Sira Taluk by constructing a feeder channel from the tank of Madlur Village in Kasaba hobli of Sira Taluk?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಎನ್. ರಾಮೇಗೌಡ.—ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಒಂದಾಜು ತಯಾರು ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಡಿದಾಹ್ ಮಂಜಪ್ಪ.—ಇದು ಸದ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾಗುವಂತಿಲ್ಲ. ಮೊದಲೂ ಕೆರೆಯು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ತುಂಬುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲವಾಗಿಯೂ, ಇವಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಹೊದ್ದು ಕೆರೆಗಳ ಕೆಲಸ ನಡೆಸಬೇಕಾಗಿರುವುದರಿಂದಲೂ ಇದು ಸದ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲ.

Extending the community project of Sorab-Shikarpur area to Sagar and Hosanagar Taluks.

Q.—276. Sri S. GOPALA GOWDA (Sagar-Hosanagar).

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) a detailed report of the progress of the Community Project of Sorab-Shikarpur area;

(b) whether the Government propose to extend the same to the other parts of the State;

(c) if so, will they consider extending the same to the adjoining Sagar and Hosanagar Taluks which are backward areas?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(a) Report of Progress appended below.

(b) Yes.

(c) Will be considered.

DETAILED REPORT OF PROGRESS OF THE COMMUNITY PROJECT IN SORAB-SHIKARIPUR AREA.

The Community Project in Sorab-Shikarpur area was inaugurated on

2nd October 1952 as all other Community Projects in India. In connection with the implementation of the Project a suitable machinery comprising of a State Development Committee, a State Advisory Board and a Project Advisory Committee, has been set up. The State Advisory Board and the Project Advisory Board and the Project Advisory Committee have met once. A meeting of Heads of Development Departments was held for drawing up a revised programme of work to be undertaken during the year 1952-53. The Project area has been divided into three Development blocks with Shiralkoppa, Shikarpur and Sorab as Headquarters of the Development Blocks. Work during the first year of the Project is undertaken in the first block comprising of Talagunda, Anavatti and Jade Hoblis, and Shiralkoppa Town. First batch of Village Level Workers (Grama Sevaks) were selected from those in service in the Agricultural Department and given training at Shiralkoppa for a month under the guidance of the Ford Foundation Training Centre Officers and were entrusted with the work of preliminary survey of the villages in the first block. Survey work has been completed and the Village Level Workers have been posted for regular work in all the villages of the first block. On the occasion of the Birthday of PANDIT JAWAHRLAL NEHERU, a gift of Six School Buildings was made by the people of the Project area with a deposit of 10 per cent of the cost of the buildings and the same has been accepted by the Community Projects Administration. Out of this one donated by the Koratagere villagers is under good progress and the villagers have donated three acres of land free of cost. Intensive propaganda has been undertaken by the Project Executive Officer with a view to make the villagers project-minded. A number of villagers have undertaken formation of Inter-village Communication roads and other roads. A total length of about 30 miles of Katcha roads is formed. Restoration of Kattes has been taken up in a few villages, Orders have been issued to undertake the construction of